

Torrance, California
August 1, 1944

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF TORRANCE

The City Council of the City of Torrance convened in a Special Meeting in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Torrance, California, on Tuesday, August 1, 1944, at 7:40 P.M.

Mayor Tolson called the meeting to order.

Clerk Bartlett called the roll, those answering present being Councilmen: Cucci, Gilbert, Hitchcock, Powell and Tolson. Absent: Councilmen: None.

Clerk Bartlett read the call of the meeting, being for the purpose of closing City Departments Thursday afternoon, August 3rd, to permit the attendance of employees at the funeral of Mr. William Gascoigne; and to discuss the temporary appointment of a Street Superintendent to fill the vacancy created by his sudden death.

Councilman Hitchcock moved that all departments of the City of Torrance be closed Thursday afternoon, August 3, 1944, to permit attendance of City Employees at the funeral of Mr. William Gascoigne, Street Superintendent of the City of Torrance. Councilman Gilbert seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Councilman Hitchcock moved that Mr. Ralph Perkins of the City of Torrance Engineering Department, be appointed as Acting Street Superintendent to replace Mr. William Gascoigne, deceased. Councilman Powell seconded the motion, which was carried by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Cucci, Gilbert, Hitchcock, Powell and Tolson. NOES: COUNCILMEN: None. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

Councilman Hitchcock announced that there will undoubtedly be a Civil Service Examination held in the near future for the position of Street Superintendent of the City of Torrance in order that all those who may care to qualify for the position may participate in the examination.

At 7:44 P.M., upon motion of Councilman Hitchcock, seconded by Councilman Gilbert, the meeting adjourned.


CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE

APPROVED:


MAYOR OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE